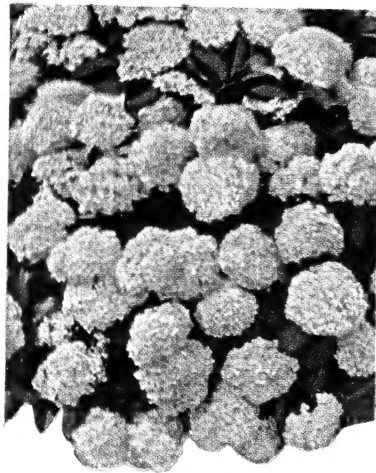


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Better colors for the winter months by planting frost-resistant evergreens.

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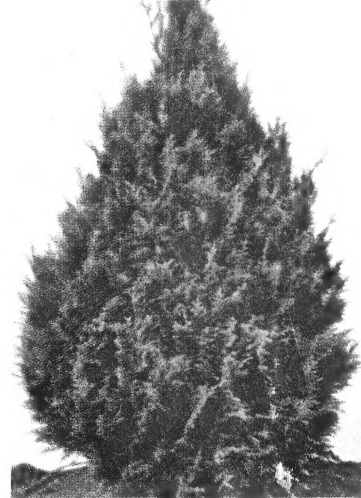
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**Baker Arborvitae**



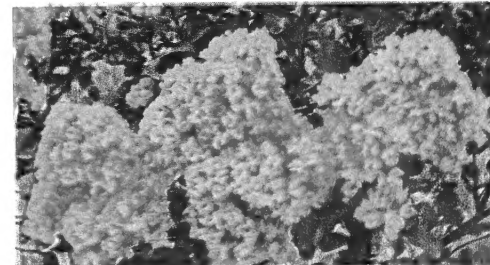
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**Weigela Rosea.** 49c ea.



**Spirea.** 49c ea.



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## **COLLECTION NO. 9**

**SHRUB COLLECTION.** Save more than 20% All four of these beautiful shrubs, 2 to 3 ft. flowering size, for only \$1.55 prepaid to you!

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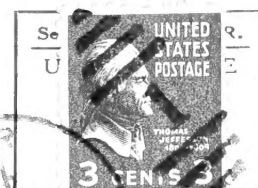
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Nothing is so magnificent as Azaleas in bloom. (See illustration above.) These hardy Kurume Azaleas will produce the most vivid effect possible in your grounds. Notice our wide range of varieties, every one selected because we are convinced it is the best of its kind. Now you can have these wonderful plants at our very low prices. Order your choice of these varieties today, or send for our Glory Collection.

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5 Reds: 2 Christmas Cheer; 2 Hexe; 1 Hinodegiri  
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Think of it! Two-year plants, your choice, at only 95c each.

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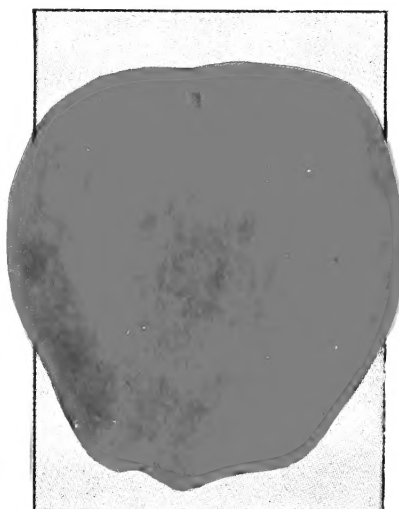
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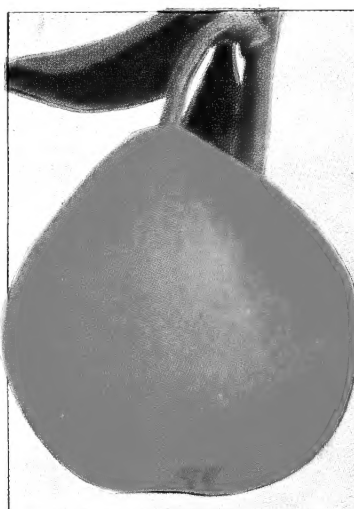
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1 Plum 1 Pear  
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All 4 for only \$1.49

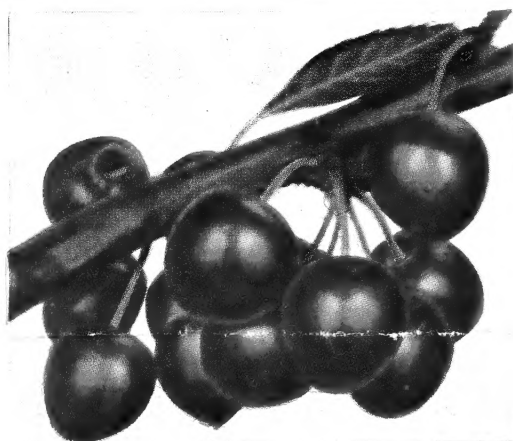
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5 ft., \$1.49



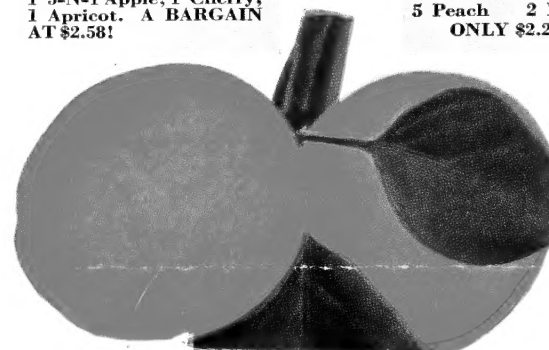
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Black Tartarian. Purplish; early.  
Early Richmond. Red; ripens early.  
Governor Wood. Yellow; sweet.  
Montmorency. Dark red; sour.  
Yellow Spanish. Large; sweet.

2-yr. trees, 3 ft., 95c; 4 ft., \$1.29.

**COLLECTION NO. 3**  
1 5-N-1 Apple; 1 Cherry;  
1 Apricot. A BARGAIN  
AT \$2.58!

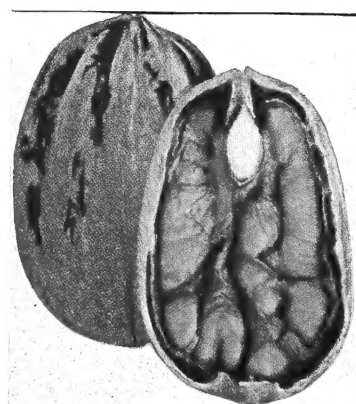
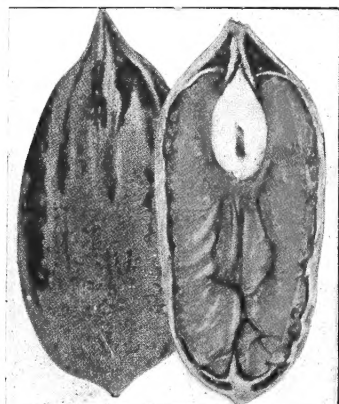
**COLLECTION NO. 4**  
5 Peach 2 Plum  
ONLY \$2.29



### APRICOT

Early Golden. Large, sweet; early.  
Superb. Yellow, slight blush; hardy, productive.  
Moorpark. Orange, speckled; sweet and large.

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1 Paper-Shell Pecan 1 English Walnut  
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GROW YOUR OWN FOR ONLY \$4.95

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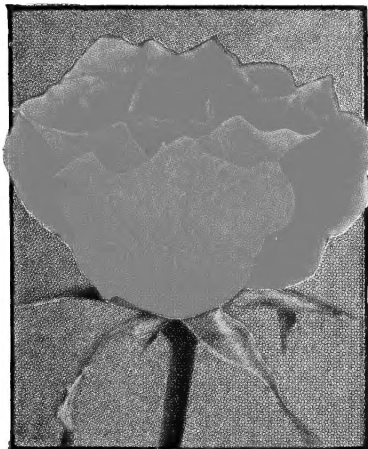


Everbearing Figs

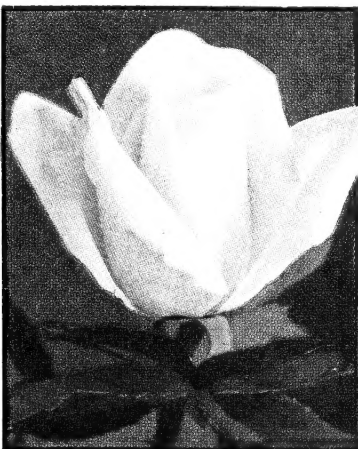
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Twelve Gorgeous Roses have been selected especially for your garden. Many years of experience with Roses enable us to select the twelve varieties that will give you the greatest satisfaction. They are vigorous, hardy, and easy to grow. They are all everblooming, disease-free, healthy plants, famous the world over for the profusion and unusual quality of their colorful bloom. You get four of our most beautiful red Roses, three of the loveliest soft pinks, two of our richest yellows, two vivid two-tone Roses, and a "Queen of White Roses." This special dozen will be the glory of your Rose garden

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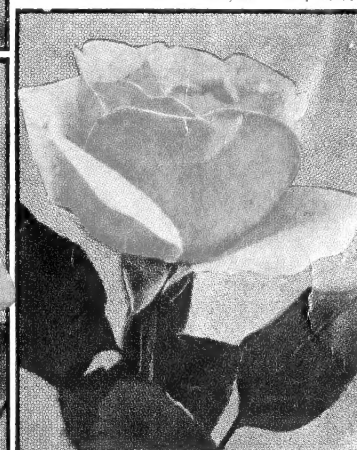
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## TALISMAN'S MAGNIFICENT FLORIBUNDA (ABUNDANT BLOOMING) ROSES

Plant them for hedges or beds; masses of color from spring to frost! **Gruss an Aachen.** Pink, yellow-tinted; constant in bloom. **Lafayette.** Red, double, very prolific. **Marie Pavie.** Shell-pink; huge clusters. Delicate "Sweetheart" buds for bouquiers or vases.

49c each; 12 for \$4.95.



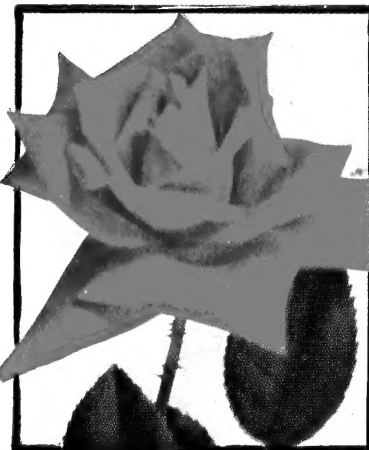
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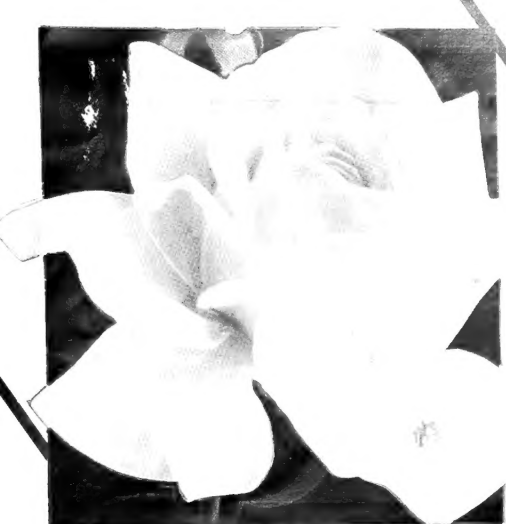
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While space does not permit illustrating them, we have many varieties of high-quality Roses that we recommend to you and assure you that they are equally as good as the ones shown above. **American Beauty**, red; **Grenoble**, red; **Syracuse**, red; **E. G. Hill**, red; **Cynthia**, pink; **Betty Uprichard**, pink; **Dainty Bess**, single pink; **Mrs. Charles Bell**, shell-

pink; **Pres. Herbert Hoover**, two-tone; **Hinrich Gaede**, reddish copper; **Lady Hillingdon**, yellow; **Golden Ophelia**, golden yellow; **Golden Dawn**, sunflower-yellow; **Luxembourg**, tinted yellow; **Konigin Luise**, white; **White American Beauty**, white. Also **Dainty Polyanthas**: **Ideal**, red; **Golden Salmon**, orange; **Perle d'Or**, pink. 49c ea. Prepaid.







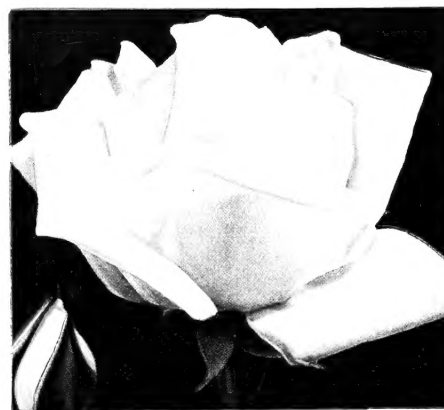
**R.M.S. QUEEN MARY.** Plant Patent 219. Very large and double flowers, salmon-pink suffused orange. Leathery foliage on a strong plant. \$1.50 ea.; 3 for \$3.75; 12 for \$15.00.



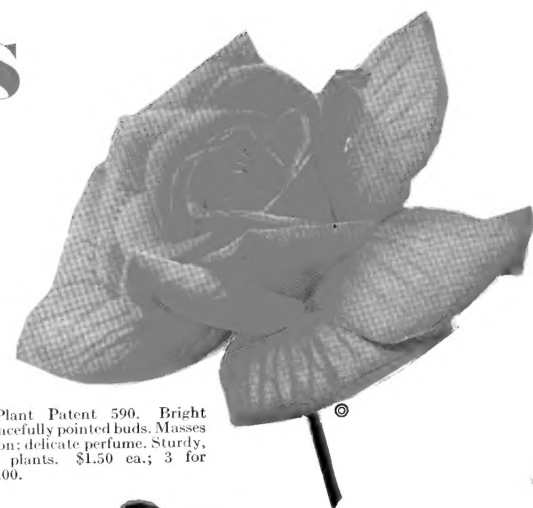
**REX ANDERSON.** Plant Patent 335. Very double, ivory-white. An exhibition Rose. \$1.50 ea.; 3 for \$3.75; 12 for \$15.00.

# TALISMAN'S

## Patented ROSES



**WHITE BRIARCLIFF.** Plant Patent 108. Fully double, pure white. Long, straight stems; sturdy bushes. Great quantities of blooms very early in the spring. Plant white for contrast with other colors. \$1.50 ea.; 3 for \$3.40; 12 for \$13.50.



**FANTASIA.** Plant Patent 590. Bright golden-tinted, gracefully pointed buds. Masses of bloom all season; delicate perfume. Sturdy, disease-resistant plants. \$1.50 ea.; 3 for \$3.75; 12 for \$15.00.

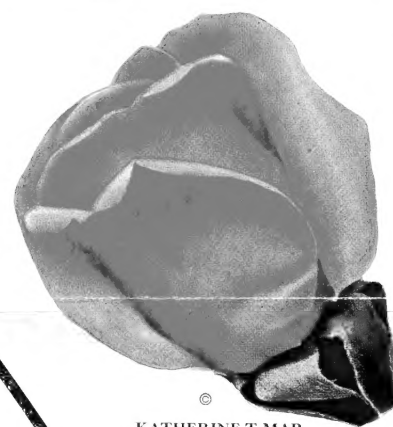


**FLAMBEAU.** Plant Patent 374. Vivid, glowing scarlet blooms with exquisite velvety sheen inside. Freely blooming plant, strong and vigorous. \$1.50 ea.; 3 for \$3.75; 12 for \$15.00.

**FORTY-NINER.** Plant Patent 792. Colors are more strikingly contrasted than in any other Rose. Even in the bud, the contrast is truly arresting; and when half open, the colors are magnificent. Inside of petals is a vivid Orient red; the outside a rich chrome-yellow. Altogether pleasing effect. \$2.00 ea.; 3 for \$5.10; 12 for \$20.40.



**TALLYHO.** Plant Patent 828. A new and different color unlike any other pink Rose gives Tallyho distinction among good Roses. Spicily fragrant buds. Flowers last extra well. Long stems on robust bushes. \$2.00 ea.; 3 for \$5.10; 12 for \$20.40.



**KATHERINE T. MARSHALL.** Plant Patent 607. A Rose of rare and glorious beauty. Growth and foliage equal to Radiance Roses. \$1.35 ea.; 3 for \$3.40; 12 for \$13.50.



**DIAMOND JUBILEE.** Plant Patent 824. Voted top honors in All-America tests for 1948. Large; buff-orange in color. Slow-opening, 5 to 6-inch blooms. Tough, leathery foliage. \$2.00 ea.; 3 for \$5.00; 12 for \$20.00.



**SHOW GIRL.** Plant Patent 616. The world's greatest deep pink Rose. Long, perfectly formed buds. \$1.50 ea.; 3 for \$3.75; 12 for \$15.00.



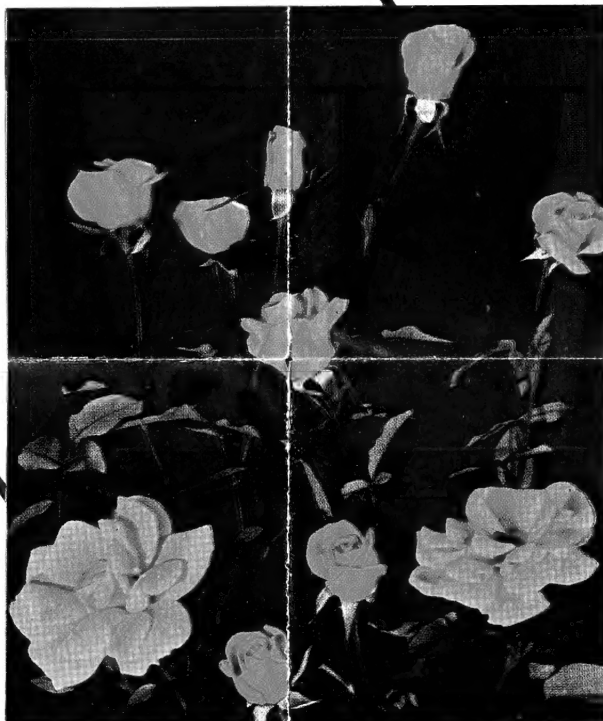
**MIRANDY.** Plant Patent 632. The sales of Mirandy, our greatest Red Rose, have been sensational! \$1.50 ea.; 3 for \$3.75; 12 for \$15.00.



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## Patented Climbers

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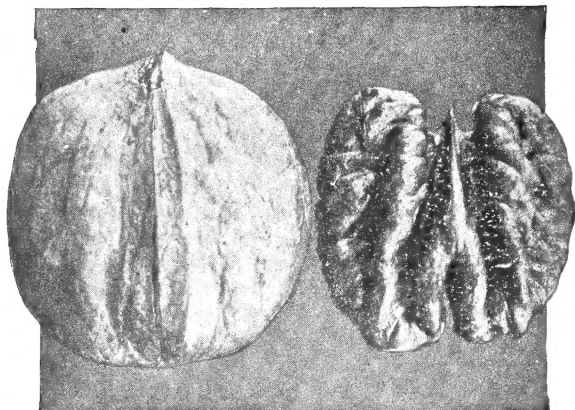
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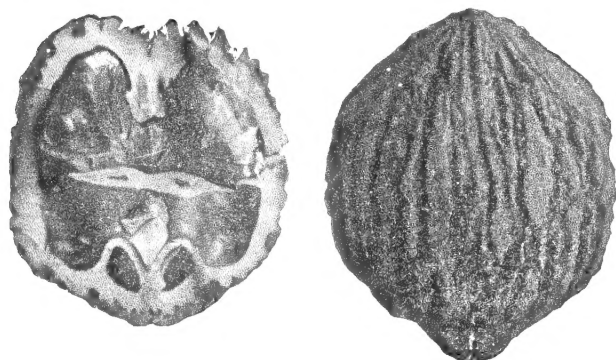
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**THOMAS BLACK WALNUT.** Thin shell, kernel in halves. 3 ft., \$1.49; 4 ft., \$1.78.

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**LOMBARDY POPLAR.** (See illustration above.) 3 ft., 29c; 5 ft., 49c.



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Two each Redbud, Weeping Willow, Lombardy Poplar. **Six Trees ONLY \$1.95.**

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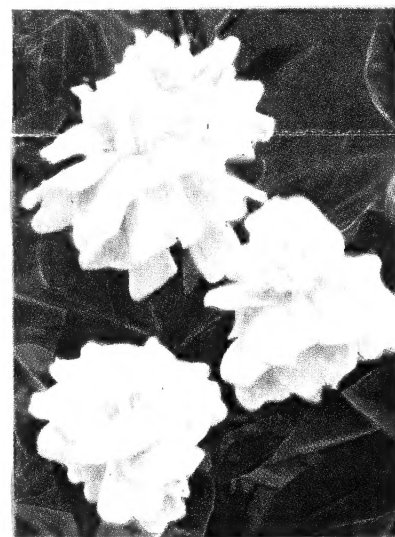
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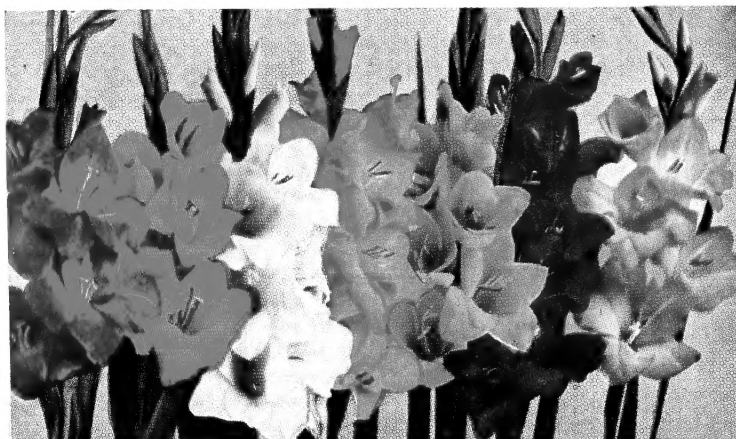
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